

Franklin Regional Council of Governments

Meeting: MAPHCO Steering Committee

Date	July 18, 2011	Location	FRCOG Conference Room 278 Main Street Greenfield, MA	Facilitators	Nicole Zabko and Gina McNeely, Co-Chairs
Time	4:30 – 6:30	Duration	2 Hours		

ATTENDEES:

Nicole Zabko
Donna Gibson
Lonny Ricketts
David Chichester
John Hillman
Chris Boutwell

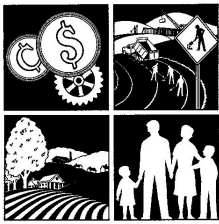
STAFF:

Tracy Rogers
Lindsey Britt
Glen Ayers
Nina Martin-Anzuoni

ABSENT:

Carolyn Shores Ness
Gina McNeely
Mike Archbald

Agenda items	Point Person(s)	Discussion and Motions
1. Welcoming Remarks/Agenda/ Introductions	Co-Chair Nicole Zabko	Nicole called the meeting to order at 4:35 p.m. She requested that members prepare for meetings by reading information sent out before the meeting.
2. Review/Approval of Meeting Minutes	Co-Chair Nicole Zabko	Minutes passed unanimously with Chris abstaining since he was absent last meeting.
3. Other Seats on Coalition or Invitees to Meetings a. Sheriff's Office b. Hospital	Tracy Rogers	Discussed expanding MAPHCO participants to include specific non-public health representation. Specifically discussed including a representative from the Hospital and the Jail. It was recognized that it is difficult for Emergency Planners from hospital to participate as emergency planning is part time job on top of a full time job. Suggested they be invited to join us quarterly or annually. Will be further explored.
1. Nuclear Planning	Lindsey Britt	Lindsey has tried to contact an individual at MEMA to get MAPHCO members' questions answered. BOH can prepare their citizens by advocating all-hazards personal preparedness. Staff will continue to request information from MEMA. There are MAPHCO members who participate in the nuclear drills. It was suggested we set aside time just for further discussion on Public Health issues in a nuclear event during a future meeting. It was proposed that Lindsey write a letter from MAPHCO stating its desire to have the EPZ expanded and for greater transparency in the planning process. The co-chairs will edit the letter. Letter to be sent to elected officials, all BOH, MDPH, MEMA and others. Dave so moved, Donna seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously. Is there NACCHO funding for nuke planning? Tracy to check.
2. HHAN Drill	Tracy Rogers	Tracy Reported on improvement since the first drill. Back-up system with Shelburne Control continues to need approval from State Police. Discussion of how HHAN drills are being handled. Explanation of new spreadsheet feature on HHAN.



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<p>3. Presentation on Climate Change and Public Health</p>	<p>MDPH Bureau of Environmental Health Joe Savato and Ryan Batto</p>	<p>MDPH Bureau of Environmental Health handed out a survey they have developed to keep track of asthma and elevated lead paint rates. There are also tracking heat related mortality and hospitalization. Some data is county level some by town. They may be able to narrow down county level data on request. Survey will be used to identify how MDPH can assist local PH meet the impact of climate change.</p>
<p>4. Risk Communication</p>	<p>Lindsey Britt</p>	<p>Lindsey reported on training and highlighted presenters' main points. Crisis communication book and handouts distributed.</p>
<p>5. Adjournment</p>		<p>Meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.</p>

Minutes respectively submitted by: Nina Martin-Anzuoni